

## ohnny Gruelle

## **Raggedy Ann Stories**

By Johnny Gruelle (1880-1938)

This is the book that started it all. Johnny Gruelle gave his daughter Marcella a rag doll, on which he had drawn an eternally smiling face. Marcella and Raggedy Ann became inseparable, and inspired Gruelle to write Raggedy Ann Stories, which was sold with its very own Raggedy Ann doll. Sadly, Marcella died at age 13 after complications from a smallpox vaccine, but Gruelle continued writing about Raggedy Ann. (description by Zachary Brewster-Geisz) Total running time: 01:49:09.

00 – Preface and Dedication/Introduction – 00:05:26 - Read by Zachary Brewster-Geisz • 01 – Raggedy Ann Learns a Lesson – 00:09:38 - Read by Mary Anderson • 02 – Raggedy Ann and the Washing – 00:06:35 - Read by Beecher • 03 – Raggedy Ann and the Kite – 00:09:27 - Read by Mary Anderson • 04 – Raggedy Ann Rescues Fido – 00:08:11 - Read by Nichole Karl • 05 – Raggedy Ann and the Painter – 00:10:23 - Read by Lucy Burgoyne • 06 – Raggedy Ann's Trip on the River – 00:07:17 - Read by Beecher • 07 – Raggedy Ann and the Strange Dolls – 00:08:41 - Read by Mary Anderson • 08 – Raggedy Ann and the Kittens – 00:08:06 - Read by Sarah Jennings • 09 – Raggedy Ann and the Fairies' Gift – 00:06:22 - Read by Mary Anderson • 10 – Raggedy Ann and the Chickens – 00:10:27 - Read by Lucy Burgoyne • 11 – Raggedy Ann and the Mouse – 00:08:46 - Read by Nichole Karl • 12 – Raggedy Ann's New Sisters – 00:09:50 - Read by Mary Anderson

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